

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group: 3673

Atty. Docket: 8266-1089

Applicant: Risk

Invention: SIDERAIL PAD FOR A HOSPITAL
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Serial No.: 10/627,226

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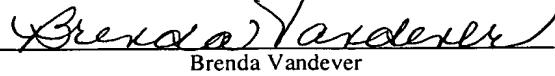
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Dated: November 3, 2004

**PETITION AND FEE FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2004 in the above identified application for:

one month (\$110.00)
 two months (\$430.00)
 three months (\$980.00).

Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, the resulting fee being \$_____.

A check to cover the fee is enclosed.

A response to the Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted



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